1850-1875

Shown as J. Royston's in the 1877 atlas, this was the dwelling of a family farm before the town of Phoenix expanded. The two story stone house in vernacular style has a small cross gable on a gable roof covered with composition material. There are two interior brick chimneys in the ends of the building, and a two-story flat-roofed frame addition at the rear. The building rests on a stone foundation, and was in good condition in 1980. The owner was listed as Herman R. Lins.